BIG ESTATE LEFT BY SWAN LARSON

Instrument Disposing of \$70,000 Estate of Moline Saloon Keeper is Filed for Probate.

LEAVES \$1,000 TO CITY HOSPITAL Wednesday.

Swedish Olive Lodge, 1, 0, 0, F., One of Principal Beneficiaries Under the Will,

will of the late Swan Larson, Moline saloon keeper, which was filed for probate today by J. B. & J. L. Oakleaf, counsel for the testator.

Mr. Larson never married. Under the terms of his will, made Nov. 9, members of Swedish Olive lodge.

The sum bequeathed to the hospital is to be used in assisting poor and indigent inmates of the institution, and by the German and Austro-Hungarian the fund given to the lodge is to be conquerors of the city as significant expended in fitting up club rooms.

Bank is Trustee.

tate be turned over to the State Sav- cluding Putiloff, Creusot, Armstrong, ings Bank & Trust company, Moline, and Krupp. Many excellent pictures in trust, and that the real estate be sold and converted into cash and the proceeds be disposed, in addition to the bequests already mentioned, as follows:

Pive hundred dollars for a lot in Riverside cemetery and monument; to brother, Peter Larson, East Moline, \$100; to sister, Anna Olson, Moline, \$100; to brother, Ola Larson, Velan, Sweden, \$100; to sister, Bengta Larson, Ullstorp, Sweden, \$100; to sister, Ingrid Svensson, Vannverga, Sweden, \$100; to sister, Sigrid Johanson, Svenstorp, Sweden, \$100; to nephews and Larson, Chicago, and Alma Nelson, Rock Island, the last two being cousins of the Anderson girls, \$500 each; all of the residue of estate to be divided share and share alike between sisters and brothers.

Buy a home of Reidy Bros. Tri-City Towel Supply company. For express, call William Trefz China and Art shop, 18051/2 Second positions of worth.

St. Paul lodge of this city have been tion. They appear to have made exinvited to attend and many of them tended use of the books available.

expect to be present. Auto & Tire company, filed in circuit conquerors. court today, affidavit for replevin against D. J. Cleland, constable. Albert Huber is counsel for the com-

PERSONAL POINTS

L. J. Sexton, who for some time has been in the employ of the Walsh Construction company of Davenport in Cleveland, Ohio, returned here vesterday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sexton, 1109 Twentyfirst street.

REYNOLDS

Cyrus Wait is making an extended tour through the south.

A large crowd attended the home talent play given at the opera house recently. Miss Kathleen Moiston furnished the music.

Miss Mary Wayne has returned home after a nice visit with her aunt at Du-

Mr. and Mrs. Will Riddell of Aledo have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clive Minteer and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Martin.

A large traction engine has been unloaded in the village. It was purchased by Eugene Swartout.

Mrs. Charles Keel and daughter Cora were Rock Island visitors Friday. Mrs. Ella Mudge is very ill with pneumonia. A trained nurse is caring

Aaron Millett of Monmouth was a business caller in this village Thurs-

Miss Doris Richards has returned from a long visit with her parents at

Milton, Iowa. Mrs. E. L. Cooper has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Gusta Beal-

er in Black Hawk. The schools of the village have been closed because it has not been

possible to heat the rooms. The new pipe organ will be installed In the M. E. church about March 1.

Mrs. Charles Crab is making an ex. tended stay with her father, who is very Ill, near Taylor Ridge.

Harold McEntire has returned to his school duties at Hettinger, N. D.

ASK FOR and GET HORLICK'S THE ORIGINAL

MALTED MILK

R. L. Mallette has been ill for sev

eral days. Mrs. Mary Timm and children are living in Mrs. Lantry's tenant house. Harry Millett, Jr., was down from

Moline, Sunday. Rev. Mr. Potter of the Baptist church preached in the M. E. church pulpin Sunday evening.

James Burns has been very ill for several weeks. G. E. Mayhew and family attended the funeral of David Mayhew in Aledo.

The new windows in the Baptisa church have been put in place. Miss Mary Millette has nicely recovered from a recent illness.

An estate valued at about \$70,000 is disposed of under the terms of the KING CARED NOT FOR LITERATURE

Belgrade. - (Correspondence of the 1912, Mr. Larson leaves \$1,000 to the Associated Press.)—European poli-Moline City hospital; \$1,000 to Swed- tics did not greatly interest the Serish Olive lodge No. 583, I. O. O. F.; bian kings before Peter, if the contents \$1,000 each to his employes, William of the royal library can be regarded Runge, Edward Peterson, James Green as throwing light on the studies of and Mrs. Andrew Anderson, and \$500 the kingdom's rulers. No books of to Christ Terkelson, another employe, importance on political subjects were and \$1,000 each to J. Victor Holsten, acquired before Peter's accession, but John W. Johnson, Theodore Carlberg a very respectable number were addand Albert Nelson, all of whom are ed to the library in the 12 years of his reign.

Another department of the library dating from his time is looked upon It is devoted to catalogues and works of general information concerning The will provides that all of the es- great arms factories of the world inare included in this department.

Most of the treasures and furnishings of the Konak (royal palace) were removed when the royal family left the city, but the library was left behind. A Vienna librarian, for the last 15 years in charge of the oriental language department of the Vienna royal library, has been entrusted with the cataloguing of the Serbian royal library. He told the Associated Press representative some interesting details about the collection.

which is neither of great extent nor sister, Anna Anderson, Moline, Esther by of the sort found in any middle class family's library. They are chiefly in French. The books added during Alexander's reign are mainly fiction. No books of political importance were acquired by him.

An interesting collection dating from this period comprises vast numbers of amatory poems written by women and children in praise of Queen Draga, who appears to have been greatly beloved by the common people. In the same department are many musical compositions, chiefly military der. Many of these, according to the while her three brothers are serving daughters. librarian, were rather triumphs of their king in the army and navy. Afternoon and evening china classes. musical mnemonics than original com-

Davenport next Tuesday. Members of British students of the Balkan ques- and has the reputation of being one western front.

England.

OF COURT RULING

Attorney Eagle Advances Interesting

Point in Case He Tries in Moline

City Tribunal.

JURISDICTION IS QUESTIONED

Litigation Involves Parties Living Out-

side of Zone of Authority Posi-

In Moline city court this afternoon a 17 and 18.

Principal reason for Attorney Eagle endorsed President Wilson for reelec-

tion Taken.

motion was filed by Attorney E. L.

set aside and veated. The question

probably will not be argued until a

later date. Outcome of Attorney

cases arising in the city and in cases

navy for their efficiency and their in- that the city court has furisdiction in United States supreme court and urg-

All political books have been sent

Bandits in Mongolia.

Peking .- (Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—Bandits have become so active in inner Mongolia and Associated Press.) - Bandits have behave been so successful in resisting the Chinese army that the government now refuses to issue passports for Inner Mongolia and for much of China proper lying near the Mongolian border. Many robberies have been committed near Kalgan and Dolon-nor. Kalgan is less than one hundred miles northwest of Peking, while Dolon-nor is about one hundred and fifty miles north of the Chinese capital.

China organized a Mongolian guard of about eight thousand soldiers some time ago. Practically all this guard has deserted and taken its arms over to the bandtis. Loyal troops have been sent from other parts of China within the last month, and rumors have reached Peking that their conflicts with the bandits have been very disastrous to the regular organization. Eagle that judgment in the cause of Reports are constantly reaching Pe- William Lound against P. J. Lauren be organization. king concerning the robbery of missionaries and other foreigners in the Mongolian section.

Captain Isaac Newell, U. S. A., military attache of the American legation, Eagle's action is of interest to legal and representatives of other legations, lights of Moline and, in fact, every city have recently been to Kalgan making of Illinois where a city court is maininquiries concerning the situation in tained. Inner Mongolia. Their investigations indicate that travel is likely to be un- asking Judge G. O. Dietz to withdraw tion and commended the Illinois state tery. safe in Mongolia for some time.

his ruling in the case is that the liti- administration, left today. Travelers returning from the troub- gation arose outside of the city, both The call for the state convention to led section all say that the bandits are principals involved in the fight for pos- be held at Springfield April 21, will not unusually well provided with modern session of certain mining property re- be issued for several days by Arthur died at 2:30 this morning at St. Anrifles used by the outlaws are of Jap- and that authority gathered from su-committee, anese manufacture and practically preme court decisions in similar cases

specifically states that the city court Chinese newspapers and many Chin- has no jurisdiction in cases arising promoting the Mongolian disturbances is located. The statutes provide that the Wabash railroad has been ap- ago from Mendota, Ill., and had beeen monarchial movement. concurrent with the circuit court in was announced today.

No Politics in Navy, Says Daniels, New York, Jan. 15 .- There is not the city. and can be no politics in the navy, Mr. Eagle contends that if the said Secretary Danlets, speaking be- statutes were interpreted by Judge fore the National Democratic club to- Dietz to mean that the city court has posal, as the chiefs of bureaus were appears to be unconstitutional under dorsed Franklin K. Lane, secretary of

cases originating in places other than ing his appointment, where the court is conducted. Dixon, Ill. -E. L. Bailey, for the last In the Moline case Lound brought four years general secretary of the suit against Lauren to get possession Dixon Y. M. C. A., has resigned and of mining land outside the city, which ty-two thousand operatives in cotton Lutheran church officiating Burial lar posts in the orient. He has writwork there as general secretary. Hessee did not live up to terms of the of a wage advance of 5 per cent.

DAMES OF TITLE COOK GRUB FOR TOMMY ATKINS



bert Larson, Elmer Larson, Oliver Ol- in German. Few old Serbian books ing, and skating at Prince's, "as us- of the Scots guards he went through did it and was ordered by his doctor the Egyptian war in 1882, taking to quit. Miss John is a pretty and bert Larson, Elmer Larson, Oliver Oli son, Elno Olson and Anna Larson, 8000 fore the reign of Alexander are chief-each; to Florence Anderson and her fore the reign of Alexander are chief-each; to Florence Anderson and her fore the reign of Alexander are chief-battle of Tel-el-Kemir, for which he ciety. reation huts, and other institution sfor was awarded the medal with clasp the benefit of Tommy Atkins which and the khedive's star. Three years have been opened by the Y. M. C. A. later he accompanied the Scots vitally interested in all the war servwhich has justified its existence in guards in the expedition to the Son-lice is Lady Theodosia Cadogan. the present crisis if it ever has be- dan and took part in the engage- whose husband, the Hon. Alexander ments at Hasheen and Temal.

The latest aristocratic worker in During the Transvaal war Vis- late peer of that title. She herself this line is Lady Bridget Coke, count Coke, as he was then, officiated is a daughter of the fourth 'Earl of youngest daughter of the Earl of as commander at Orange river, and Gosford, and previous to her mar-Leisester, who has just gone to took part in several fierce engage- riage in 1912 was Lady Theodosia France to work in a Y. M. C. A. re-ments, in which he was mentioned in Acheson. freshment booth. A pretty, vivacious dispatches and received the C. M. G. Her husband is a distinguished girl, Lady Bridget has been active in He married Lord Annaly's daughter member of the diplomatic service. marches, dedicated to King Alexan- war work for some time, and mean- in 1879, and has three sons and two Her elder brother, Viscount Acheson,

ter and a member of an exceptional that of John Richard Lowndes rick Acheson, is a lieutenant in the come over the whole front. Heavy the Swedish government, A visitors' register kept by the Ser- ly interesting family. Her mother, French, eldest son of Field Marshal navy. The annual district convention of bian royal librarian shows that the whose good looks she inherits, was a Sir John French, the renowned com- Lady Theodosia in peace times is there is a distinct difference in the steamer which arrived recently g

John, youngest daughter of the late orange tree was, a few years ago, been stationed for some time in these of beans. Lady Bridget's father, the third Major General John, and the adopted one of the successes of the summer positions, veteran soldiers from Po- She was sighted off Halmstad, cross-In an attempt to regain possession to Vienna, where they will be studied Earl of Lancester, is among the child of the Countess of Charlemont, exhibition at the Royal academy, land have now appeared and have ing about for no apparent reason, and of a seven-passenger automobile, Iowa for any matter of importance to the wealthiest of nobles, and previous to whose noble husband. Viscount The Earl of Gosford, Lady Theo- made their presence know by creep- when questioned by the commander of his retirement from the service saw Charlemont, went in for munitions desia's father, is an Irish nobleman, ing up to the barbed wire entangle- a Swedish torpedo boat the captain a lot of hard fighting. As a member making a few months ago, but over- whose years today number 73.

contract. In a justice court verdict

was found for the defendant and ap-

peal was taken to the city court, Judge

Dietz ruling for the plaintiff, and Lau-

ren was forced to vacate the property.

Attorney Eagle does not question

he ruling of Judge Dietz, but he saw

where the law might be faulty and his

idea is to have this made a test case.

so that the question of jurisdiction

will be setled there for all time.

SPANISH WAR VETS

WILSON ENDORSED BY

CENTRAL COMMITTEE

Made Passenger Agent of Wabash.

He began his railway career as a

Lane Supported by Californians.

Cotton Workers Get Increase.

ton & Quincy at Keokuk, Iowa.

Lady Cadogan at Front.

A handsome society woman who is Cadogan, is the seventh child of the

is in the Coldstream guards and was front states that the preliminaries for ish port disguised as unprohibited Quite the most interesting of re- recently mentioned in dispatches, and the great offensive are already under foodstuffs have resulted in the stricter Lady Bridget is a soldier's daught cently announced engagements is her younger brother, the Hon. Pat- way, and that a noticeable change has surveillance of all incoming ships by

the Knights of Pythias will be held in great majority of visitors consisted of daughter of the second Lord Annaly, mander of the British forces on the reckoned one of the best golfers in character of the German troops which Halmstad from Philadelphia is still to society. Sargent's portrait of her- are manning the front trenches. In- tained at the former of the most accomplished skaters in He is to marry Miss Olivia Mary self and her two sisters under an stead of the new recruits which have tailed examination of an alleged care

Mrs. Fred Ohlert. Mrs. Fred Ohlert, 67 years of age,

died at 9 o'clock last night at her home, 422 Fourth street, following a short illness with pneumonia. She was born in Schleswig-Holstein, Ger- from the direction of Uskup, made many. She was married in Germany, another raid over the camp of the all Swedish inspectors that the weight of May 17, 1888, to Fred Ohlert, her maid-ENCAMPMENT IN JUNE en name being Madaline K. Woest, on the French positions, but did no among them, and "they thought there She came to America in 1891, settling damage, according to the dispatch, might be other things inside." Elgin, Ill., Jan. 15.—The 13 encamp- in Iowa, where the family resided up which adds that French aeroplanes ments of the United Spanish War Vet- until 1905, when she came to Rock Is- drove the raiders off. erans will be held in Chicago June 16, land, and she had made her home here since. She is survived by her husband The announcement of the date of the and one daughter, Laura, at home, a encampment was made today by Mar- brother in Iowa and a sister in Gertin Sipple, department adjutant of the many. Funeral services will be held at the home Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Ph. Wilhelm officiating

Funeral of Edward Connert.

The funeral of Edward Connert will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 Chicago, Jan. 15.-Democratic state at O'Malley's undertaking parlors and central committeemen who yesterday at 3 o'clock at St. Paul's church. Fathservices with burial in Calvary ceme

Miss Frieda Pauther.

Miss Frieda Panther, 32 years of age. arms and ammunition. Many of the siding five miles beyond the city limits. Charles of Carmi, chairman of the thony's hospital, following a lingering illness with cancer. She had been confined at the hospital since Christmas. The remains were removed to Wheel-St. Louis, Jan. 15 .- J. Daniel Mc- an's undertaking parlors. Miss Panthese officials charge the Japanese with outside of the city in which the court Namara, general passenger agent of er came to Rock Island three years in support of their opposition to the the city court shall have jurisdiction pointed passenger traffic manager, it making her home at 606 Third avenue. There are no surviving relatives.

Henry Schmidt.

appealed from justices of the peace in ticket checker on the Chicago, Burling-Funeral of Henry Schmidt will be held from the Henry Mengel home, 2626 Fifth avenue, Moline, at 2 o'clock San Francisco, Jan. 15.—A telegram Sunday afternoon. Rev. A. F. Bergday, on the subject of national pre- jurisdiction in cases appealed from a was sent to Washington today notify- strom of the Swedish Lutheran church reau of eastern affairs, has been decoparedness. The secretary of the navy, local justice of the peace, even though ing President Wilson that the San will officiate and burial will be in Fair- rated with the order of Chia Ho by he said, had no patronage at his dis- they arise outside of the city, this law Francisco Bar association had en- mount cemetery, Davenport. selected from the trained men of the supreme court decisions, which say the interior, for the vacancy in the

C. A. Swanson.

Funeral of C. A. Swanson, former Island, at 2 yesterday afternoon, Rev. charge d'affaires in the Chinese capi-New Bedford, Mass., Jan. 15. Thir- A. F. Bergstrom of the Swedish tal, besides serving in several consu-

J. Bowman, John Peferson, Charles Carlson and Gust Troop.

Mrs. Rachel Enoch.

Death called Mrs. Rachel Enoch from the home of her son, William, 2321 Sixteenth street, Moline, at 2:30 yesterday afternoon. The end came after an illness of nine days, following a stroke of paralysis.

She was born in Huntsville, Mo., Aug. 3, 1855. She grew to womanhood in her native state and was mar- FUNDS INCREASEING IN SIZE ried in Macon, Mo., 49 years ago. Mrs. Enoch had been a resident of Moline for three and one-half years. She leaves to mourn three sons, William of Moline, Charles of Rock Island, and Cicero of Macon, Mo.

Short services were held at the William Enoch home at 3 this afternoon. Remains will be sent to Macon this division of the Burlington way, the evening and funeral will be held there new good roads' movement being preat 2 Sunday afternoon. Rurial will be moted by Rock Island men, is now asin the cemetery there.

Duane Hartman.

Duane Hartman, son of Mr. and bers said that it is now only a ques-Mrs. Clarence C. Hartman, 1614 tion of time and work among better Twelfth street, died at 8:30 this morn- highway boosters to bring to attening at his home following an illness of tion the object of their campaign. a complication of ailments. He was Following is the statement issued born in Clinton, Iowa, May 19, 1909, and one year later the family moved Rock Island division of the Burling to this city. Funeral services will be held Mon-

day afternoon at 2:30 at the home. Rev. O. T. Dwinell officiating, with burial in Chippiannock cemetery. Duane attended the Irving school

and was one of the brightest pupils for years on account of the bad condiin his class.

Walter E. Schilling.

Walter E., three-weeks-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schilling, Seventeenth street and Eight avenue, East Moline, died at 5:15 yesterday afternoon. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Cady officiating. Burial will be in Riverside cemetery, Moline.

OUIET ON FRONT WILL BE BROKEN

London.-(Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—The comparative creased in number in the near future quiet which has reigned on the west- and this will mean that we will have ern front ever since the British offen- an active bunch of men with their sive of September, is soon to be brok- shoulders to the wheel pushing the en, according to the prophecies of all project along in an industrious way, military experts, by an elaborate Ger, so that we will soon see the results of man offensive along the whole front, our labors." All reports from Belgium concur in The directors stated that the con announcing that the German attack templated improvement is daily gainis being planned for January. During ing more friends and that the farmers the past few days, long convoys of are awakening to the possibilities ammunitions have been pouring to- holds in store for them. ward the advanced German positions in Flanders, and fresh arrivals of Sweden Watching American Ships. troops from the eastern front are Stockholm, Sweden .- (Correspond constantly recorded. According to the ence of The Associated Press.)-Alle stories which are current, Emperor gations that German agents are trying William himself will be on hand to to smuggle copper and other contra-

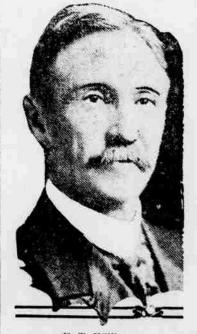
superintend operations. German guns are again in action, and The Andrew Welch, an American ments where they left a placard in said he had orders to wait there. Soon English which read: "We have come afterwards a large German tug came back from Warsaw to give you hell!" up to the sound and made for the An-

There can constantly be heard from drew Welch. The captain of the tag behind the German lines the tumult was equally ignorant of the reason for of trains bringing up men and muni-sending him to a point off Halmstad tions, the rumble of heavy artillery but denied that he had a rendezvous and the tramping of constantly arriv- with the American ship.

Air Raid on Saloniki.

Paris, Jan. 15.-A Havas dispatch peared in a southerly direction. from Athens says that on Wednesday cursory examination of the Andrew a squadron of German aeroplanes Welch showed that she carried beans lies at Saloniki. Bombs were dropped the bags had caused some commen

YANKEE DECORATED BY CHINESE RULER



E. T. Williams.

the Chinese emperor. This is the government's official honor for distinguished men of letters.

Mr. Williams was formerly Chinese Moline man, was held from the J. R. secretary of the American legation at Nelson home, 4302 Fifth avenue, Rock Peking and later first secretary and will go to Jackson, Mich., to take up the plaintiff owns, claiming that the mills of this city were notified today was in Riverside cemetery. Palibear- ten a number of books on Chinese ers were C. J. Johnson, Gust Lyon, C. Flaws, religion and institutions.

SUCCESS OF NEW HIGHWAYASSURFA

Rock Island Division of Burlington Way Gaining in Popularity, Committee Says.

Farmers Who Own Property Alogy Road to Be Improved Awakening to Possibilities of Project.

That the six cess of the Rock Island sured, is a statement which comes from the local committee today, Men.

"The good roads' committee of the ton way held a meeting in the State bank building yesterday and are pleased to report that they are meeting with every encouragement in their canvass for funds. The people realize that they have been handicapped tion of roads leading into Rock Island from the south. In view of this fact, it is earnestly hoped that every public spirited citizen will interest himself to the extent of cooperating with the committee, and members of which are unselfishly devoting their time to the good roads movement.

Want Farmers' Interest.

"We feel now that the success of the Rock Island division is only a question of time. As soon as we increase the funds to a larger amount we will have accomplished the bigger part of our task. With this money to show our good faith, we will be able to better secure the cooperation of the farmer in front of whose property the highway leads. "The present committee will be in

band from the United States into Ger-A correspondent at the British many by shipping it first to a Swed-

The Swedish naval authorities then upon brought the Andrew Welch int Halmstad and the German tug disap but members of the crew told the

Enormous quantities of non-contra band foodstuffs from America have been going into Germany from Sweden during the last six weeks, including preserved fruits from the Pacific coast coffee and tea. Imports of American coal are increasing, owing to the continued ban on British coal by the Brit ish coal by the British government Germany is sending cargoes of Bel gium coal from Lucbeck and Stettis b Malmo but it is of inferior quality and the demand for American coal is proving. Ten thousand tons arrived s Malmo this week.

The activity of British commercial agents, whom the Swedes call "commercial spies," has caused great imtation here. Several have been to pelled because of their activity 'shadowing" cargoes unloaded a Gothenburg and other ports. Amercan buyers are carefully watched and their negotiations with Swedish business men followed in detail.

Four Paving Jobs Approved. Moline board of local improvements today voted to recommend the for paving projects recently instituted The jour jobs will mean an estimated & panditure penditure of \$67,102.

Money Wanted!

Can place \$5,000 on long time loan with A, I real estate and personal security. See me at

Floyd E. Thompson

Rock Island